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ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT OF WOMEN
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Will the Minister of SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

The progress achieved in the economic empowerment of women under the Trade Related Entrepreneurship Assistance and Development of Women (TREAD) Scheme in the country particularly in Gujarat State, State-wise?

Answer

(SHRI MAHABIR PRASAD) MINISTER OF SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES & AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES

The State-wise details of Government of India (GoI) grant provided so far to the Non-Government Organisations (NGOs) and Training Institutions for capacity building and trade related training activities respectively, alongwith the loans sanctioned by the nodal bank, i.e., Canara Bank, for undertaking entrepreneurial activities under the `Trade Related Entrepreneurship Assistance and Development (TREAD)` scheme are provided in the enclosed Annexure.

In Gujarat, an amount of Rs. 2.98 lakh has been sanctioned as Central grant to an NGO, namely, Sarpdad Gram Vikas Mandal, Rajkot, for capacity building and taking up of entrepreneurial activites of (approximately) 100 women entrepreneurs. Canara Bank has sanctioned a loan of Rs. 6.65 lakh to Sarpdad Gram Vikas Mandal, Rajkot for setting up the project for manufacture of ladies garments.